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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

March 23, 2009

Applicants: Kimio KAWAGOE et al

Title: SLIDING BEARING

Serial No.: 10/540 911

Group: 3656

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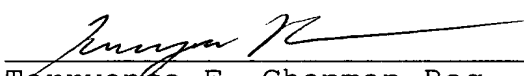
Herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.☐ The additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

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RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 23, 2008,
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